

Global Markets Research

Fixed Income : Auction Calendar

Re-opening of 30-year MGS 3/53 draws low BTC of 1.952x

Post the tender announcement, the WI opened at 4.18/14%. The WI was not traded at all, and it was quoted at 4.18/16% before the auction cut-off. The auction itself saw lukewarm demand, with bids totaling RM5.86bn tendered, resulting in a BTC ratio of 1.952x. The auction cleared at an average yield of 4.172%, with a long tail of 1.6bps (previous reopening of the bond in January saw it clearing at 4.243%, with a BTC of 2.990x and tail of 0.7bps). The total offering of RM5.0bn for this reopening auction (which was inclusive of a private placement of RM2.0bn) was in line with our expectations, and bring the total issue size outstanding to RM20.9bn. Summary of the tender results are as follows:

Bid to Cover: 1.952x
 High: 4.188%
 Average: 4.172%
 Low: 4.150%
 Cut-off: 53.3%

This 30Y MGS reopening saw lukewarm demand, with a low BTC of 1.952x. Valuations looks fair, both relative to GII and from a term premium perspective

The low BTC was reflective of the lukewarm demand for the paper after the recent bond rally, with interest seen mainly from insurers, banks and institutional investors. The historical spread between the Islamic and conventional 30Y benchmarks since the inception of the existing 30Y GII has been 2.0bps, so at the current 2.0bps spread, the MGS looks fairly valued from a relative perspective. From a term premium perspective, the 30Y sector of the MGS curve also appears to be fairly valued, with the current MGS 20s30s spread at 11.1bps which compares to an average of 11.3bps over the last 12 months. Up next is the reopening auction of the 5Y GII 7/29 with a projected issuance size of RM4.5b, with the bond set to take over as the 5Y GII benchmark from the existing GII 7/28. An MGS switch auction will take place first this Monday, with an indicative size of RM1.22bn of MGS 6/50 on offer.

MGS/GII issuance pipeline in 2024														
No	Stock	Tenure (yrs)	Tender Month	Quarter	Tender Date	Projected Issuance Size (RM mil)	Actual Auction Issuance (RM mil)	Actual Private Placement	Total Issuance YTD	BTC (times)	Low	Average	High	Cut-off
1	10-yr Reopening of MGII 8/33	10	Jan	Q1	5/1/2024	5,000	5,000		5,000	2.445	3.880	3.908	3.920	83.3%
2	30-yr Reopening of MGS 3/53	30	Jan	Q1	12/1/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	10,000	2.990	4.223	4.243	4.250	84.8%
3	5-yr Reopening of MGII 7/28	5	Jan	Q1	19/1/2024	4,500	5,000		15,000	4.402	3.610	3.620	3.624	51.3%
4	7-yr Reopening of MGS 4/31	7	Feb	Q1	5/2/2024	4,500	5,000		20,000	2.155	3.760	3.779	3.790	6.9%
5	20-yr Reopening of MGII 8/43	20	Feb	Q1	14/2/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	25,000	3.037	4.144	4.163	4.171	60.0%
6	3-yr Reopening of MGS 5/27	3	Feb	Q1	21/2/2024	4,500	5,000		30,000	1.703	3.470	3.488	3.499	85.0%
7	15-yr Reopening of MGII 9/39	15	Mar	Q1	29/2/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	35,000	2.973	3.972	3.990	3.998	52.3%
8	10-yr Reopening of MGS 11/33	10	Mar	Q1	14/3/2024	4,500	5,000		40,000	2.046	3.830	3.854	3.865	27.1%
9	30-yr New Issue of MGII (Mat on 3/54)	30	Mar	Q1	21/3/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	45,000	3.187	4.254	4.280	4.286	90.0%
10	5-yr Reopening of MGS 8/29	5	Apr	Q2	29/3/2024	5,000	5,000		50,000	1.797	3.665	3.681	3.690	11.4%
11	7.5-yr New Issue of MGII (Mat on 10/31)	7	Apr	Q2	5/4/2024	5,000	4,500		54,500	3.333	3.780	3.804	3.815	41.3%
12	15-yr New Issue of MGS (Mat on 4/39)	15	Apr	Q2	16/4/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	59,500	2.159	4.016	4.054	4.069	82.2%
13	3-yr Reopening of MGII 9/26	3	Apr	Q2	25/4/2024	5,000	5,000		64,500	1.746	3.547	3.574	3.599	40.0%
14	20-yr New Issue of MGS (Mat on 05/44)	20	May	Q2	14/5/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	69,500	3.085	4.160	4.180	4.188	98.4%
15	15-yr Reopening of MGII 9/39	15	May	Q2	21/5/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	74,500	3.024	4.005	4.021	4.027	83.8%
16	7-yr Reopening of MGS 4/31	7	May	Q2	29/5/2024	5,000	5,000		79,500	1.965	3.843	3.852	3.860	81.4%
17	20-yr Reopening of MGII 8/43	20	Jun	Q2	6/6/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	84,500	3.475	4.123	4.133	4.137	15.3%
18	3-yr Reopening of MGS 5/27	3	Jun	Q2	13/6/2024	4,500	5,000		89,500	1.682	3.487	3.545	3.553	88.6%
19	30-yr Reopening of MGII 3/54	30	Jun	Q2	21/6/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	94,500	2.504	4.220	4.241	4.249	36.0%
20	5-yr Reopening of MGS 8/29	5	Jul	Q3	1/7/2024	4,500	5,000		99,500	2.187	3.663	3.672	3.679	63.5%
21	10-yr Reopening of MGII 11/34	10	Jul	Q3	12/7/2024	4,500	5,000		104,500	2.422	3.813	3.819	3.827	52.4%
22	15-yr Reopening of MGS 4/39	15	Jul	Q3	19/7/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	109,500	3.101	3.959	3.972	3.975	34.3%
23	7-yr Reopening of MGII 10/31	7	Aug	Q3	7/8/2024	4,500	5,000		114,500	2.331	3.710	3.726	3.735	66.7%
24	30-yr Reopening of MGS 3/53	30	Aug	Q3	14/8/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	119,500	1.952	4.150	4.172	4.188	53.3%
25	5-yr Reopening of MGII 7/29	5	Aug	Q3		4,500								
26	10-yr Reopening of MGS 7/34	10	Aug	Q3		5,000								
27	20-yr Reopening of MGII 8/43	20	Sep	Q3		4,500		x						
28	7-yr Reopening of MGS 4/31	7	Sep	Q3		4,500								
29	30-yr Reopening of MGII 3/54	30	Sep	Q3		5,000		x						
30	3-yr Reopening of MGS 5/27	3	Oct	Q4		4,500								
31	10-yr Reopening of MGII 11/34	10	Oct	Q4		4,500								
32	20-yr Reopening of MGS 5/44	20	Oct	Q4		5,000		x						
33	7-yr Reopening of MGII 10/31	7	Oct	Q4		5,000								
34	15-yr Reopening of MGS 4/39	15	Nov	Q4		5,000		x						
35	5-yr Reopening of MGII 7/29	5	Nov	Q4		4,500								
36	10-yr Reopening of MGS 7/34	10	Nov	Q4		5,000								
37	3-yr Reopening of GII 9/27	3	Dec	Q4		4,500								
Gross MGS/GII supply in 2024						177,500	97,500	22,000	-	PROJECTED TOTAL ISSUANCE = RM180b				

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